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County...

I-95 EXIT 49 BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION UNDERWAY IN DARIEN

Lane Closures Scheduled This Week

WHAT:

Contractors for Georgia DOT have scheduled single lane closures on I-95 at Exit 49 at Darien from 7 a.m. through 5 p.m., Southbound on Wednesday and Northbound on Thursday. Right lane closures are utilized for installation of concrete barrier wall on outside shoulder for staged construction. All work is weather contingent.

This is a WORK ZONE and extreme caution is necessary. Motorists are advised to reduce speeds as they travel through this construction work zone and expect delays in this area. Message signs, barrels and/or cones will be utilized to alert the public of the upcoming changes. Drivers should be aware that personnel and equipment will be operating in close proximity to travel lanes.

WHEN: 7a.m. until 5 p.m., Wednesday, August 12 through Thursday, August 13, weather permitting.

WHERE: I-95 southbound lane closure on Wednesday from milepost 49.5 to 48.5 in McIntosh County I-95 northbound lane closure on Thursday from milepost 48.5 to 49.5 in McIntosh County

Georgia DOT wants to remind motorist that nearly all states have laws that increase the penalties for speeding or committing other traffic violations while in a construction work zone. Motorists should reduce their speed in these and all work zones.

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